

AGREEMENT, WAIVER AND RELEASE

I plan to attend the NUSA Conference 2022 (the “Conference”) that will be held in Little Rock, Arkansas in May 2022. I perform volunteer work that enhances the quality of life for citizens in neighborhoods throughout the City of Birmingham (the “City”). Because my participation in the Conference will enhance the effectiveness of my work and benefit the City’s citizens, the City is sponsoring my participation in the Conference and paying certain travel expenses (i.e. bus, hotel, cost associated with Conference registration, and a daily meal per diem associated therewith).

As material inducement for the city sponsoring my participation in the Conference and paying these expenses, I agree, understand and represent the following:

- (i) Travel to the Conference will require an approximate 6-hour bus trip each way between the City and Little Rock, Arkansas. I warrant that I meet both the physical and mobility requirements needed to travel to the Conference. I also warrant that I do not require a caregiver nor assistance during travel;
- (ii) Participating in the Conference will require me to attend lengthy programs, sessions, seminars and events that will be conducted throughout each day. I warrant that I do not have medical conditions that will prevent me from fully participating in the Conference;
- (iii) I understand that I am fully responsible for arranging and financially providing (a) any emergency or non-emergency medical care that I may require, (b) furnishing any medical equipment, prescriptions or supplies that I may require, and (c) transportation from my hotel to Conference activities, to area restaurants, and to any functions or activities that I attend while in the Little Rock area;
- (iv) I understand that the City is not responsible for providing medical related assistance or care during travel or while at the Conference. I also am aware that the City employees traveling with me are not obligated to perform tasks similar to that of a caregiver.
- (v) I am not an employee or agent, neither am I authorized to act on behalf of the City with respect to matters related to the Conference. I am voluntarily participating in this conference and the events associated therewith. As such, I understand that the City is not undertaking any responsibility for my safety or well-being because I intend to attend or participate in the Conference; and
- (vi) I understand that there are hazards and risks associated with traveling to the Conference and my participation in the programs and functions to be conducted there. In consideration of the City sponsoring my attendance at the Conference, I, on behalf of myself, and my heirs and assigns, agree to waive, release and hold harmless from any liability, damage, expense or claim for personal injury (including death) or property damage of any kind or nature that I may incur or resulting from or relating to my travel to, participation in, or attendance at the Conference. Further I covenant not to sue the City (and its employees, agents, officials, their successors and assigns) for any of the aforementioned.

I have reviewed, with my physician, the physical and mobility requirements that may be expected of me with my attendance to and during the Conference. My physician’s signature

herein confirms that I am physically able for travel to, participate in and attend Conference related sessions and meetings.

Finally, I acknowledge that I have had an opportunity to read and consider this Agreement, Waiver and Release. I understand the terms stated in this Agreement, Waiver and Release and voluntarily sign it below with full knowledge and appreciation of its meaning and intent.

Conference Participant:

Printed Name: _____ Signature: _____

Date: _____

Address: _____

Conference Participant's Physician Signature:

Patients Name: _____

Printed Name: _____ Signature: _____

Date: _____

Address: _____

Witness:

Printed Name: _____ Signature: _____

Date: _____

Address: _____
